

# TEX-O-KAN PETROLEUM COMPANY

A company that will pay the traveling expenses of any prospective purchaser of stock who desires to go and examine the properties of the company, provided he does not find the properties as good as represented.

However, if properties are as good as represented said prospective purchaser will bind himself to purchase the amount of stock previously agreed upon and to stand all of his own expense for the examination of the properties.

## Holdings of the Company

### Eighty Acres in the Great Ranger Field

This field has widened, spread and extended until it now takes in an immense productive territory extending for many miles in almost every direction. STEPHENS COUNTY, part of the Ranger field, is the largest and best territory developed in Texas.

THE COMPANY OWNS EIGHTY ACRES, less a one-fourth undivided interest in STEPHENS COUNTY. It is the J. M. White farm, which joins and offsets the THORPE FARM, on which the Sammies Oil Company recently brought in a well at a depth of 1,725 feet which the company reported flowed 1,400 barrels of oil per day. This well was drilled only two feet in the sand, and should, when drilled deeper, show from 3,000 to 5,000 barrels per day. Good wells are found in every direction from this property, and it is a safe bet that a strong flow of oil will be found in the 1,725-foot sand and also in the deeper sand which should be found at about 3,400 feet.

WE HAVE MATERIAL FOR A DERRICK on the ground and a well on this property will be begun at once.

### Eighty-Two Acres in the Desdemona Field

STRONGLY COMPETING with the Ranger field is the important field developed in and around the town of DESDEMONA, in Comanche, Erath and Eastland counties.

The Tex-O-Kan Petroleum Company owns a lease on Forty-nine Acres on the line between Erath and Comanche counties, about three miles south and slightly east of DESDEMONA, the land being a part of the Robinson survey. Immediately north of this property about one mile the Comanche Northern Company brought in a well which was drilled eighteen inches in the sand at a depth of about 2,600 feet. This well is producing 3,000 barrels per day. It is believed that when drilled to a greater depth in the sand it will flow not less than 5,000 barrels of oil per day.

The Company owns a lease on thirty-three acres off of the north side of the J. M. Watson farm, lying west and a little south of Desdemona, and is more nearly developed than any other property owned by the Company.

THE THIRTY-THREE ACRES is one-half mile in length. A large number of wells can be drilled on this property, protecting its own and draining adjoining territory.

THE FAMOUS WELLS on the Vought farm, lying about one and one-fourth miles north and east of this property, drilled in by the Southland Oil Company and the Sterling Oil and Gas Company, are both estimated at 5,000 barrels per day, and other large wells to the north. The Comanche Gusher, on the Echols farm, lying to the east; the Kan-Tex well to the south is drilled into the sand and is reported showing for a large well and is waiting for tanks and pipe lines. Wells completely surround our THIRTY-THREE acres.

THE ABOVE THREE TRACTS, MAKING ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-TWO ACRES IN PROVEN TERRITORY WERE SECURED BY THIS COMPANY AFTER THE CHARTER WAS GRANTED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

### In Addition To the Above This Company Has

5,000 acres of leases in Caldwell County, Texas. While this territory is not fully proven, wells were drilled years ago on what is believed to be the outer edges of a well-defined structure, and these wells are today and have been for a number of years standing filled with oil. It is of good quality, showing 36 gravity test and paraffine base.

### Now Drilling On This Property

THE TEX-O-KAN PETROLEUM COMPANY is now drilling a well at the highest point, or apex, of this structure, and is confident that it will find oil. Oil sands in this territory are reached at about 550 feet, about 1,300 feet and about 1,650 feet. The geologists says the big sand will be found at about 2,400 feet.

### 2,529 Acres in Wilson County, Kansas

THIS IS IN THE HEART OF A GREAT oil and gas field already developed. This is in what is known as shallow production. The property is surrounded by paying, producing oil and gas wells. The first gas sand in this territory is found at 325 feet; the second gas sand at 535 feet. These sands have been very prolific of gas and profitable producers at these depths. The oil sands are found at about 730 feet and 900 feet. The initial production in oil ranges from 10 to 250 barrels per day in this territory.

The Tex-O-Kan Petroleum Company's property in Wilson County, Kansas, is proven on all sides. On its own leased acreage not less than 500 wells can be drilled. If each well should produce the low average of five barrels of oil per day, this would give a total production of 2,500 barrels of oil per day, which would produce a daily income of \$5,625.00 per day, or \$2,053,125.00 per year, with oil at the present price.

## Possibilities of a Well-Managed Big Company

It is safe to assert that no other industry in the world today offers such great possibilities of profits as the business of producing oil. The investing public is turning almost solidly to oil securities and are reaping rich and almost undreamed of profits.

An essential ingredient of success, and, in fact, one of its prerequisites is capable business management.

Luck may be a factor, but Pluck, Brains, Experience and Honesty will surely Win.

The Tex-O-Kan Petroleum Company has at its head an experienced and capable oil man. Its officers and directors were selected for their well known ability and high character.

Its properties are so favorably located, so closely surrounded with successful development, so alluring in their promise of great profits that we offer the stock of this company at \$50.00 per share, feeling confident that the stockholder will have dividend paying investment within a short time.

Those who have organized this company expect to develop it into a great, permanent, successful business. If only the smallest of its tracts in the Desdemona and Ranger fields should turn out to be producers it should be worth several million dollars.

The possibility of profits on all of this vast acreage is too great for computation.

THE NORWOOD AND THE PERKINS WELLS LIE SOUTH AND EAST OF OUR EIGHTY ACRES IN STEPHENS COUNTY.

THE NORWOOD WELL HAD AN initial production of oil reported at better than 10,000 barrels per day. The financial statement showed that it produced and delivered into the pipe lines over \$1,787,000.00 worth of oil in about the first four months.

THE FAMOUS PERKINS WELL, drilled by Huff, Root & Duff, lying between the Norwood well and our EIGHTY ACRES, produced over 10,000 barrels of oil per day.

IN THE RANGER AND DESDEMONA and STEPHENS COUNTY fields SCORES of wells are now producing from 500 to 2,000 barrels of oil per day.

BUY NOW. BUY TODAY. TOMORROW MAY BE TOO LATE.

## Holdings of the Company

### In the Gulf Coast Oil Fields of Texas

EIGHTEEN THOUSAND acres of leases in Matagorda, Fort Bend and Wharton counties, Texas, surrounded by the Gulf Coast Fields, in which the company owns a one-half working interest. This property is in the GULF COAST OIL FIELD, surrounded by the WEST COLUMBIA field on the south and east, DAMON'S MOUND field on the northeast, the MARKHAM field on the west and the BIG HILL field on the south.

The territory covered by these leases has been passed on by many able geologists and is rated by them as very promising oil territory, as it is by the large companies operating in this field.

A DERRICK HAS BEEN completed on the Mayfield farm in this territory by this Company. Drilling to begin in the near future.

Wells in this territory have come in at 25,000 to 30,000 barrels per day. Should this Company develop producing wells on its large acreage the value of its holdings would be worth many MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

ONE LEASE, COMPRISING ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHT ACRES, lies in the heart of the BIG HILL field. This lease has derricks and producing fields all around it.

### Read This Carefully

The Tex-O-Kan Petroleum Company controls leases on over TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND ACRES OF LAND IN PROVEN FIELDS.

No other company perhaps yet organized to do business in the Texas field offers so many choice properties.

TO BET ON THE OUTCOME OF A SINGLE HOLE IN A SMALL COMPANY IS A VIOLENT GAMBLE. TO INVEST MONEY IN A LARGE OIL COMPANY THAT IS ABLE TO DRILL A NUMBER OF WELLS IS A SOUND BUSINESS PROPOSITION.

THE LARGE AND CHOICE HOLDINGS of this Company are so distributed as to assure the Stockholders the success that can hardly fail to come where the law of averages is permitted to have play. The Stockholder's risk will rest on MANY LARGE, CHOICE, WELL-SELECTED OIL-BEARING PROPERTIES, thereby enhancing his chances to win large returns.

IT IS THE INTENTION of this Company to continue to increase its holdings and production at all times it can make safe and sure investments for its Stockholders.

### Owns Own Drilling Rigs

The Company now owns three drilling rigs and expects to purchase others, and to make profits by contract work and drilling for interests with these tools as well as drilling for themselves.

### Finances and Management

A Board of Directors consisting of seven members will control the business policies and direct the finances of the Company.

H. E. Wilcox, a citizen of Kansas and an oil operator of twenty-five years' experience, is President of the Company.

Hon. Ben F. Looney, of Greenville, Texas, is First Vice-President and member of the Board of Directors. Gen. Looney is widely and favorably known as a citizen, lawyer, and officially as Attorney-General of the State of Texas for a period of six years, which ended January 1st, 1919.

J. M. Edwards is a prominent ranchman of Runnels County, who resides in Austin, and has been State Treasurer for a period altogether of seven years.

H. J. Stockman, of Chanute, Kansas, is another director who is practical and experienced in almost every phase of oil production. He is active both as operator and contractor in the Texas field.

J. E. McDowell, of Lockhart, Texas, a member of the Flowers-McDowell Abstract Company, is Director, Secretary-Treasurer of the Company. He is an expert office man of high standing in his community.

Two other directors have been chosen by the Directors to fill unexpired terms and will be duly elected at the next meeting of the Board. Both of these Directors are citizens of Tennessee. They are men of high character and standing and well known throughout the State.

John W. Pumphrey, member of the firm of Bailey, Ball & Pumphrey, prominent Cotton Factors of Memphis, Tennessee, is largely interested in the Company as a Stockholder, and is one of the Company's Directors.

Hon. John S. Denton, of Franklin, Tennessee, has been widely and favorably known throughout the State, both as a business man and public official, for many years. He served the State with marked ability and success as President of the Tennessee Board of Control.

### No Big Salaries Paid to Officers

All of the officers of this Company have put their own money into the Company and are working to make it a success. No officer in this Company will draw any salary until the Company is on a dividend-paying basis, except the Secretary-Treasurer, who is paid \$2,400.00 per year in cash and \$1,200.00 per year in stock of the Company at par value. He devotes all of his time and attention to the business of the Company.

**THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THIS COMPANY IS ONE MILLION DOLLARS, BUT ONLY \$200,000.00 OF IT WILL BE OFFERED THE PUBLIC AT THIS PRICE. ALL STOCK \$50.00 A SHARE, FULLY PAID AND NONASSESSABLE.**

**STOCK MAY BE OVERSUBSCRIBED ANY DAY. INVEST NOW BEFORE THE STOCK ADVANCES OR IS TAKEN OFF OF THE MARKET.**

Sign the subscription blank for the number of shares of stock you desire and send in your check with your application and the stock will be promptly sent to you, unless oversubscribed when your application is received, in which case your check will be immediately returned to you.

**A FEW LIVE REPRESENTATIVES WANTED.**

**MAIL APPLICATION TO TEX-O-KAN PETROLEUM CO., Care H. E. Wilcox.** Temporary headquarters, Peabody Hotel, Memphis, Tenn. Main Office, 503 South Main St., Fort Worth, Texas.

ALL DRAFTS, CHECKS AND MONEY ORDERS MUST BE MADE PAYABLE TO TEX-O-KAN PETROLEUM COMPANY. IF ALL STOCK OFFERED IS SOLD WHEN YOUR APPLICATION IS RECEIVED YOUR CHECK WILL BE PROMPTLY RETURNED.

MAIL THIS COUPON TODAY.

I hereby make application for \_\_\_\_\_ shares of the Capital Stock of the Tex-O-Kan Petroleum Company, par value \$50.00 per share. Enclosed herewith find draft, check or money

order for the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ in full payment for stock. Stock to be issued to me and mailed to the address below:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street or Box \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_